

IN THE UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT
FOR THE WESTERN DISTRICT OF ARKANSAS
TEXARKANA DIVISION

COLEMAN CONSULTING LLC

PLAINTIFF

V.

NO. 4:18-CV-4123

DOMTAR CORPORATION AND
DOMTAR A.W. LLC

DEFENDANTS

CONFIDENTIALITY AGREEMENT AND STIPULATED PROTECTIVE ORDER

The Plaintiff, Coleman Consulting LLC, and Separate Defendants, Domtar Corporation and Domtar A.W. LLC, (Domtar Defendants), hereinafter collectively referred to as "the parties" or separately as "party", as evidenced by the signatures of their attorneys below, hereby stipulate to the following Confidentiality Agreement and Stipulated Protective Order regarding the production and use of documents containing confidential or competitively sensitive information:

1. Either party may designate a document or series of documents produced during the course of discovery as CONFIDENTIAL. Any copies of documents so designated are to be stamped "CONFIDENTIAL".

2. The Plaintiff or Domtar Defendants, agree that confidential documents shall not be disclosed, directly or indirectly, to anyone other than the parties, attorneys for the parties, witnesses, consultants, expert witnesses specially retained or specially employed for purposes of this action, and any employees, agents, and representatives of the insurers of the parties. To the extent any confidential document is provided to any party's witnesses or expert witnesses, each witness or expert witness shall be provided with a copy of this Confidentiality Agreement and Stipulated Protective Order and shall sign it on its first page, designating that person's acknowledgment of the terms of this Confidentiality Agreement and Stipulated Protective Order and his or her understanding of the obligations imposed herein. Nothing in this Confidentiality Agreement and Stipulated Protective Order prevents either party from disclosing

confidential documents to the court or jury impaneled at the trial of this case, subject to such protections as the court may order with respect to the treatment of confidential documents at trial.

3. The parties and all persons subject to the provisions of this Confidentiality Agreement and Stipulated Protective Order agree to use confidential documents solely and exclusively for purposes of preparing for, conducting, and participating in this action and not for any other litigation and not for any other business purpose, personal purpose, or other purpose whatsoever.

4. The parties' agreement to produce confidential documents pursuant to this Confidentiality Agreement and Stipulated Protective Order shall not be deemed an agreement that such documents (1) constitute or contain confidential information or trade secrets or other confidential research, development, financial, commercial, or personal information, or (2) are relevant to any matter at issue in this action. Each party reserves the right to object to or to seek an appropriate order limiting any use which any other party may seek to make of such confidential documents either in discovery or at the trial of this action.

5. The parties agree that no copies of confidential documents produced by any party will be made except as necessary for the purposes of this action. If it becomes necessary to include information obtained from confidential documents or to use such confidential documents in any court filing, then any such filing should be made under seal, if not prohibited by law.

6. Upon the conclusion of this action, all confidential documents, and all copies, extracts, summaries, and facsimiles thereof shall be returned to counsel for the receiving party, who shall then contact counsel for the producing party and request instructions regarding the disposition of the confidential documents. Further upon the conclusion of this action, all electronically, optically, magnetically stored information of any kind including, without limitation, diskettes, compact disks, computer files, and similar storage media containing confidential documents shall be destroyed or deleted, uninstalled, or otherwise removed from each computer, diskette, compact disk, computer file, and any other storage media by counsel for the receiving party.


IT IS SO ORDERED on this, the 10th day of July, 2019.


HONORABLE SUSAN O. HICKEY
U. S. DISTRICT COURT JUDGE

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